

Remarks/Arguments

This Preliminary Amendment and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") are being filed with a "Petition Under 37 CFR 1.313 to Withdraw Application from Issue After Payment of Issue Fee." A check for \$790.00 to cover the RCE filing fee payment and a check for \$130.00 to cover the Petition fee are included with this Amendment. If necessary, please charge any other fees for entry of this Amendment and RCE to our deposit account no. 03-3415.

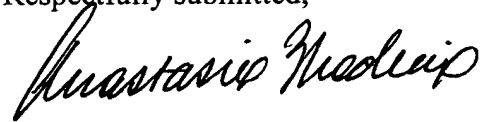
Claims 22, 39, 44, 45, 48, 52-55, 58-62 and 65 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claim 41 has been amended. In particular, claim 41 has been amended to depend from claim 4 only.

Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

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